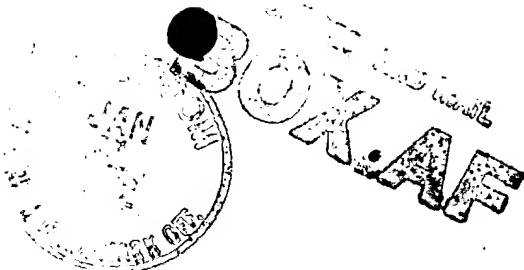


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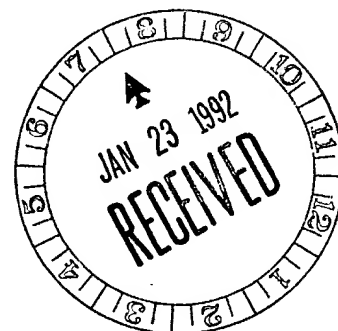
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Sir:

Responsive to the FINAL REJECTION of November 18, 1991, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendments.

IN THE CLAIMS

29. (Twice Amended) A method of stimulating an immune response in a host animal, comprising:

administering an antigen to said animal in the presence of an immunostimulating amount of [submicron] metabolizable oil

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a(n) Amendment/Response in the above-identified application.

☐ Small entity status of this Application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Verified Declaration previously submitted.

☐ A Verified Declaration of Small Entity Status Under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

Also enclosed:

☐ Information Disclosure Statement

☐ Declaration

☐ Associate Power of Attorney

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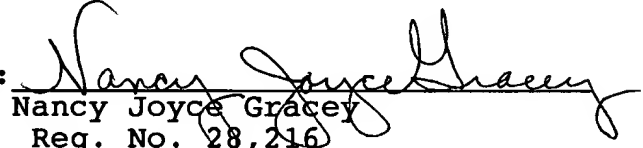
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